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SUBJECT: FAO DOCUMENTATION A,D MEETING

REF: (A) STATE 126341, (B) ROME 8484

1. FODAF OFFIVER RAISED QUESTION OF TARDY FAO MEETING DOCUMENTS WITH MR. DE CAPRONA. DE CAPRONA DENIED RESPONSIBILITY BUT AGREED SITUATION WAS RIDICULOUS CONSIDERING UNDER FAO RULES "PREPARATORY DOCUMENTATION SHOULD WHERE POSSIBLE BE CIRCULATED IN ALL LANGUAGES REQUIRED NOT LESS THAN SIX WEEKS BEFORE THE OPENING OF THE MEETING" PER DIRECTOR GENERAL'S BULLETIN NO. 74/16 OF MARCH 5, 1974. DE CAPRON SUGGESTED A TOUGH LETTER TO FAO DG BECAUSE RESPONSIBILITY IS TOO DIVERSE TO SINGEL OUT ONE ADG. HOWEVER, HE NOTED THAT DDG PHILLIPS RECEIVES FROM MANDEFIELD, ADG GENERAL AFFAIRS AND INFORMATION, A REPORT ONCE EVERY TWO WEEKS ON DOCUMENTATION. ACCORDINGLY, FODAG IS WRITING A LETTER TO PHILLIPS PER REFTEL (A).

2. DE CAPRONA IS ESPECIALLY BITTER BECAUSE HE HAS BEEN REPLACED AS SECRETARY FOR THE COUNCIL AND CONFERENCE BY MR ALMAMY SYLLA,
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THE NEW ADG FOR GENERAL AFFAIRS AND INFORMATION, REFTEL B. FAO DG EXPLAINED THIS MOVE AS A NEED TO HAVE BETTER CONSULTATIONS WITH GROUP OF 77. INDEPENDENT CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL, BUKAR SHAIB, WAS NOT CONSULTED IN CHANGE. DE CAPRONA WILL CONTINUE WITH THE REST OF HIS WORK. GARDNER

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